

In re Appln. of Jean-Pierre Mouchel La Fosse
Application No. Unassigned
(U.S. National Phase of PCT/FR2003/002928)

Amendments to the Abstract

Please delete the Abstract and add the following new Abstract:

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A replacement Abstract is attached hereto on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 CFR 1.72.

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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